

RAY WARNER'S COMBINATION HORSE SALE

AT NORTH PARK--TODAY

HE DOES NOT ANTE

Circuit Court Commissioner
Rozema Fails to

RETURN CIRCUIT COURT FILES

Although Ordered to Do So by the Court.
'It Is Reported That He Has Over-
worked and Needs Rest.

In the circuit court last Monday an entry was made on the records which did not seem to excite suspicion, but which, nevertheless, carried with it considerable significance.

The motion for the order prayed for—to return files into court was argued before Judge Adst and granted. The action was at the instance of Anke Trankstra, one of the creditors of Henry Brouwer. Accompanying the application for the order was an affidavit sworn to by Trankstra in which he said that Brouwer owed him some \$35 for rent. That among the property assigned was a horse. The animal and property were sold at an assignee's sale and the proceeds went into the possession of John H. Rozema. Trankstra further says that he presented his bill for payment and believes that it was duly presented to the estate. He at divers times and places asked Rozema for the amount and was put off on one pretext or another. Finally he insisted upon payment and was told by Rozema that he was to check for the amount due him. He was mailed. He says the check did not arrive. Trankstra gave the account to a lawyer for collection. The lawyer went to the county clerk's office to see the files in the case for the purpose of learning the condition of the estate. The files could not be found. They had been borrowed by Rozema and not returned.

Back of Rozema's failure to pay the Trankstra claim and return the files there is a story. Rozema is a young man and one of the rising stars in the legal profession. He is a democrat and holds the office of circuit court commissioner. After his election he formed a partnership with Clinton E. Dunham under the name of Dunham & Rozema. The firm was dissolved a short time ago and the junior member of the firm started an office on his own hook. The young man's friends and relatives are endeavoring to take law with the country for the purpose of recuperating his health. His brother is quoted as saying that his affairs are in a muddled state and that efforts are being made to disentangle them.

OWASHTANONG LITIGATION.

Receiver Turner Files a Motion to Dissolve Attachments.

Suit was begun in the circuit court yesterday by Isaac Turner, as assignee of the Owashatanong Boat club, against Ira C. Hatch, Sheriff John McQueen and Under-sheriff Walsh, to restrain them from selling the fixtures and property of the club under an attachment sued out of the superior court. The bill claims there was an error made in granting the writ. Ira C. Hatch stated it to be his belief that the club intended to dispose of its property for the purpose of defrauding its creditors, and that for the same reason it surreptitiously removed about \$700 worth of goods and gave a chattel mortgage to Don J. Leathers and others. Ira Hatch also said that if he knew this condition to have existed he would not have extended credit. The bill says further that the total indebtedness of the club is \$15,000 and that the assets are \$10,000. In no way can all the creditors be treated alike unless the court dissolves the attachment. A temporary restraining order was made enjoining the sheriff from selling the property. A like suit has been filed in all the attachment cases against the club except one.

EVIDENCE NOT STRONG ENOUGH.

Michael Collins Discharged by a Jury on a Serious Complaint.

Michael Collins was arrested on complaint of Humane Agent Randolph and convicted in police court of cruelty to animals. He appealed to the circuit court. Judge Adst and a jury are now hearing the trial. Testimony was introduced to show that when the humane agent visited Collins' house he found one dead horse, a cow and one live horse. The cow had nothing upon which to feed. The live horse was tied in a stall and was tangled up in the halter. There was nothing in sight for him to eat. The animal was picking up the straw scattered here and there on the floor and was nearly starved. The wind and snow whistled through the cracks in the barn and the cold was sufficient to freeze. The jury returned a verdict of no cause for action.

ARRAIGNED FOR MURDER.

Peter Thomas, the Veteran, Before the Circuit Court.

Peter Thomas, the aged colored inmate of the Soldiers Home, who, in a fight, stabbed James Johnson, a fellow inmate, in the groin with a knife, was arraigned in the circuit court yesterday before Judge Adst on the charge of murder. Thomas and Johnson roomed together and became involved in a quarrel over politics. Blows were exchanged. Thomas was getting the worst of it and, as he claims, he used his knife in self-defense. The femoral artery was severed. Contrary to all expectations Johnson lived several weeks. Thomas was first arraigned for manslaughter, but when the victim of the knife died the charge was changed to murder. He pleaded not guilty and yesterday and waived the reading of the complaint. James Maloney was appointed to defend.

SHE WANTS BIG DAMAGES.

Anna Hulbert Sues the Street Railway Company for \$10,000.

Anna B. Hulbert began suit in the circuit court last evening against the Consolidated Street Railway company for \$10,000 damages. She says that on December 1 she was severely injured about the head and face by being thrown to the ground while alighting from a street car at the corner of Lyon

and Canal street. The conductor partially assisted her. With one foot still on the steps of the car the conductor signalled to go ahead. The car started up. Her foot and dress were caught. She fell and struck on her face, smashing her nose.

CAME IN VERY LATE.

Attorney Fairfield and Others Censured for Dilatoriness.

David McConnell, the saloonist at No. 48 South Wataloo street, was arraigned in police court for committing a breach of the peace. His offense consisted in running a disorderly dance in the basement under his saloon, which was attended by a disorderly aggregation of males and females. The case was set for trial yesterday morning at 9 o'clock. The people subpoenaed their witnesses, eight in number, and were ready for trial, but John Fairfield, attorney for the defendant, came into court at the last moment and asked for an adjournment on the pretext that he was engaged in trying a case in the United States court. Judge Haggerty felt forced to acquiesce after Fairfield said he wanted a jury trial, but he took occasion to sharply reprimand attorneys for the practice of asking for adjournments without giving notice so that the people would be saved the expense of subpoenaing witnesses. The case will be tried April 5, unless the attorney for the defendant has a case in some other court.

MADE MAD BY THE WEED.

A Young Man Loses his Mental Balance Through Cigarettes.

A victim of cigarette smoking is now confined in cell D at police headquarters a raving maniac. His name is Harry Shepard, and he is the 21 year-old son of wealthy parents now in Europe. Dennis Rodgers is his guardian, and has done everything possible to break the young man of the deadly habit, but to no avail. He was locked up yesterday morning for safe keeping. Food has been offered him but he will not eat. He calls continually for cigarettes and raves frantically when he is refused. His condition is pitiable and critical.

JOHN HUGHES HIT HARD.

Judge Burlingame Imposes a Heavy Fine on Him.

John B. Hughes, convicted several weeks ago in the superior court of keeping his saloon on Ionia street open Sunday, was given a heavy dose by Judge Burlingame yesterday when he appeared for trial. His honor placed the fine at \$150 and the costs at \$22.25. This is the second fine paid by Hughes within the past two months and there are other cases pending against him.

Counterfeiter to be Tried.

A jury was empaneled in the United States court yesterday afternoon for the trial of James A. Austin of Harriette, Wexford county, who will be tried on a charge of having in his possession and manufacturing dies or molds for making United States coins and the case was adjourned until this morning. Austin is a blacksmith and was arrested last October by Deputy Marshal Brewster. He has been confined in the Kent county jail since his arrest.

Dismissed a Liquor Case.

Lewis Spaulding was arraigned in the circuit court yesterday for selling liquor without paying the state tax. A motion was made to quash the information on the ground that the complaint was made out under the laws of 1885 when it should have been made out under the laws of 1887. After some argument on both sides Judge Adst granted the motion, dismissed the case and discharged the prisoner.

Minor Court Mention.

W. C. Scott, one of the moulders imported to take the place of a striker in the Grand Rapids foundry, on his way to work, was attacked by a squad of strikers who threatened to lay violent hands on him. To escape them he ran. They pursued him several blocks, frightening him badly.

In the case of the People vs. Arie Schuitens, Bert Schuitens and Arie Schuitens, Jr., charged with receiving stolen goods, the arguments were finished in the superior court yesterday. Judge Burlingame will charge the jury this morning.

Charles Kalkbrenner was arraigned in police court yesterday for keeping his saloon open Sunday. He pleaded not guilty and demanded an examination, which was set for April 7.

Arie Van Heiden, the small boy arrested on the charge of arson, was under examination in police court yesterday. The testimony previously taken was read and signed and the case adjourned until March 30.

The case of the Canal Street Gravel Road company against Nicholas Paas has been appealed to the supreme court on a writ of error. The toll road company was beaten on trial in the circuit court.

Etta Beamis was arrested on Island street last night in an intoxicated condition and locked up in the county jail. It is not her first experience in police circles.

The police were called to No. 80 West Bridge street to quell a disturbance yesterday. As usual, when the officers arrived there, was no cause for arrest.

LAW AND LAWYERS.

Probate Court.

JUDGE PERKINS.

Estate of Wills F. Averill, deceased;

Edward Sampson was arraigned in police court yesterday for being disorderly. In default of \$4.85 he was committed to jail for ten days.

Petition for administration of will filed; hearing April 25.

Estate of Maarten Louwers, deceased; petition for probate of will filed; hearing April 25.

Estate of Grietje Verbeek, mentally incompetent; letters of guardianship to Bonnie Verbeek.

Estate of Lulu E. Fonger, minor; letters of guardianship to Ralph T. Fonger.

Estate of John L. Ives, deceased; will admitted to probate and The Michigan Trust company appointed administrator.

Estate of Thomas Byrne, deceased; executor's annual account allowed.

Estate of John Shirk, deceased; administrator's final account allowed.

Estate of Mary D. and Nellie E. Averill, minors; The Michigan Trust company appointed guardian.

Circuit Court—Part I.

JUDGE ADST.

People vs. Peter Thomas, murder; respondent arraigned, waived reading of complaint; plea, not guilty; order appointing James T. Moloney to defend.

People vs. Lewis Spaulding, selling liquor without paying state tax; on motion complaint dismissed and defendant discharged.

People vs. Michael Collins, cruelty to animals; on trial.

Circuit Court—Part II.

JUDGE GROVE.

John Mulder vs. Chester A. Lambie; replevin; stay extended thirty days from date.

Grand Rapids Savings Bank vs. Bertha E. Ely et al.; ejectment; on trial.

Superior Court.

JUDGE BURLINGAME.

People vs. John B. Hughes, saloon open Sunday; sentenced to pay a fine of \$150 and \$22.25 costs, or be confined in the county jail until the same is paid, for a period not to exceed three months. Paid and discharged.

People vs. Arie Schuitens, Sr., Bert Schuitens and Arie Schuitens, Jr., receiving stolen goods; trial resumed; adjournments made.

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